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#### TWO PORTRAITS.

- Color to life her matchless hair,
  And-if thou mayest, portray
  The swetchess of those scarlet lips,
  The smiles that round them pray;
  Canst thou produce the radiant light
  That beams from outher eyes,
  Or make more tair or nure or beltoh
- II.
- May be the eye is duller
  Far more thun it used to be;
  May be the cheek is paler,
  May be the smile less free;
  Gare has altered them, doubtlessBut, Oh 1 I tell you,
  The cloud that darkened one life,
  Shado wed the other, too.

#### THE SIEGE OF SUNDA GUNGE.

little British station at Sunda Gunge had been besieged by the insurgent

epoys.

The station was divided into two portions; the lower, consisting of the Indian village, and the upper, part of which, including the magazine and the British residency, was strongly fortified. Within this portion the English residents had retired on the first signal of approaching danger. The rebels, fortunately, possessed only one small piece of cannon, which had one small piece of cannon, which had proved quite ineffectual against the walls of the inclosure. Provisions were not scarce; and up to the present moment the garrison had entertained strong hopes of being able to hold out until relief arrived. Suddenly a new and unexpected

danger had arisen.
The building inclosed within the tortifications formed an open square. In the middle of the square was the well which supplied the garrison with water. About 5 o'clock in the afternoon a group of several persons was standing within the shelter of an archway which opened into the square, and gazing with looks of consterna-tion and dismay in the direction the

The cause of their alarm was

The cause of their alarm was singular.

The town was situated at the foot of a range of hills, and from one particular point upon the slopes outside the walls the well in the middle of the square was visible. This the Sepors had at length discovered. Their single piece of cannon was at once posted at this point and brought the bear exactly on the well within the town. The result of this proceeding is self-evident. If one of the garrison would now venture into the square for the purpose of fetching discovering the square for the purpose of fetching discovered. The cause of the square was at once posted at this point and brought the bear exactly on the well within the town. The result of this proceeding is self-evident. If one of the garrison would now venture into the square for the purpose of fetching discovered. The cause of the two was at once posted at this point and brought the proceeding is self-evident. If one of the garrison would now venture into the square for the purpose of fetching discovered. The cannot be such that the square for the purpose of fetching discovered at last. The lot had fallen to Vane himself.

The characters of these two girls we will leave to reveal themselves as we proceed, only recording the relations in which they stood to St. George Vane, who had known them both since they were children.

Like all men of her acquaintance, Vane admired Lenora greatly and caretime the purpose of fetching discovered.

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No, not quite. As the last card fell face upwards on the table a thrill went through the nerves of the spectators. The two girls at the window shrank back suddenly, as if they had been shot. There was the fall care upwards on the table a thrill went through the nerves of the spectators. The two girls went through the nerves of the spectators. The two girls went through the nerves of the spectators. The two girls went through the nerves of the spectators. The two girls went through the nerves of the spectators. The t

purpose of a hospital wounded men her, nor even thought about it.

point on the hillside. The dark point cst if she had. marked the spot where the cannon The two girls was posted. Even as the spectators the veranda, anxious, restless and un-

was posted. Even as the spectators looked toward it the cannon boomed—
there came a puff of smoke and a flash of fire—and at the same moment the ground about the mouth of the well was torn up by a fierce hail of shot. The gunners were trying their shot. The gunners were trying their and what is more it was and a capital and same the mouth of the earlier shot. The gunners were trying their and what is more it was and what is more it was and a capital and same the mouth of the continued as and what is more it was and a capital and the same and what is more it was and a capital and the same and what is more it was and a capital and the same and what is more it was and a capital and the same and what is more it was and a capital and the same and a capital range; and what is more, it was only to evident that they had found it.

The spectators looked significantly at one another. Four of the group ming of the human swarms among were English soldiers; the rest were the huts and bazars of the Sepoys natives. Of the latter two were water around the walls, the place was still carriers, each of whom carried about his waist a large, hollow belt of skin, capable of containing several gallons of the sword hanging by a single of water. The duty of these men was, thread; the cruel uncertainty as to in ordinary times, one of no particular danger. But now the case was altered. There they stood, trembling, their dusky faces turned to a sickly yellow, as they stared at the space of shattered ground which the storm of shot had torn up all round the mouth upon the rack.

knave of spades—will be the man selected.

He cut the pack. The deal began.

A hush fell on the six spectators—

He will say the man sective was over almost moment. Yet scenes as brief have often been the turning point of lives—and so it was to be with these.

Lenora, with a half hysterical

heir chance was gone. They could ot last twelve hours.

Vane had kept his eyes fixed upon the Colonel's face,

the Cut the pack. The deal began.

A hush fell on the six spectators—the hush of rising interest. Except for the slight fluttering noise made by their chance was gone. They could not last twelve hours. the Colonel's face.
"Let me try," he said eagerly. "Let me try," he said eagerly "Give me a few men—a score will be heard. Strange that there is some volunteer—and we will laugh at these black scoundrels yet."

The Colonel hesitated—but only for a moment. There was no man in the garrison whom he valued and trusted more than St. George Vane. He knew well the danger of the proposed adventure; and he knew well, also, that Vane, if he were allowed to undertake it, would never rest until

trusted more than St. George Vane. He knew well the danger of the proposed adventure; and he knew well, also, that Vane, if he were allowed to undertake it, would never rest until his task succeeded, or he himself were killed in the attempt. But in war-N the 1st of July, 1857, the Indian Mutiny was at its height. For ten days the Reitish station at Sunda Gunge the insurgent the insurgent the hour or two later Vane entered the hack of the

his own room. It was a large apart-ment, situated at the back of the walled inclosure, which, on account of its size, had come to be used by the officers as a common room. windows opened on a wide veranda, which extended the whole length of the building, having the windows also opening upon it. The largest of these rooms had been set apart for the use of the ladies of the garrison, and, as the veranda was cool, shady and resit there, in preference to breathing the close heat of the room within.

At the moment when Vane entered

two figures were sitting on the veranda, not far from his own window veranda, not far from his own window clearly every card as it was dealt.

—two girls. One of these was a tall, The cards fell slowly, one by one, slight girl, pale and light-haired—not before each man in turn. The deal handsome nor even remarkable, except for her eyes, which were large, gray, serious, and, when at rest, deep rather than bright. Her companion, on the other hand, was a girl of on the other hand, was a girl of singular beauty; a girl with dark hair, dark eyes, rather full, red lips and skin of soft and flower-like bloom. The pack was growing thin, and expectation deepened now with every card. Where was the knave of spades? It must come soon. Again the cards went round.

were moaning for water. Water, at all costs, must be had—even in the ed Vane with feelings far different cannon. But how? it is characteristic of each, that while Over a fringe of mango trees and the tops of some low bungalows to the right of the square a knot of dusky figures could be descried at a certain considered the subject of much inter-The two girls were now alone on

But "over all there hung a cloud of fear," a sense of impending danger, as

The pure standard of the station and the stati

han five or six and twenty, with blue eyes, fair mustache and careless, hand some features, much bronzed by exposure to the sun.

The Colonel was the first to speak.

"This is an awkward business, Vane," he said. "We might drive cowards to the well, but they will certainly be blown to pieces, and we shall get no water. And at night, with this moon, it is as light as day.

One could see a mouse string."

"True," said Vane, reflecting.
"True," said Vane, reflecting.
"Yet—stay! One of us might go out alone and try to bring in water. If they hit him, as they most likely will, there or four others can be ready to rush out, and may bring him in, and the water as well, before they have

man of them, as Vane keew well, but the death.

The colonel was the first to speak.

He was on the point of speaking, with while himself stood the other. Then, in a few words the twenty for the row and the matter of the service for which they words, he explained to them the nature of the service for which they was remained to the was the provided and the took the best course motiones, then, as if desiring rather to attract attention than to shun it, it to attent to them to and the was very because the was the point of speaking, when there appeared at the window figure. They both looked up and saw very pale, and as she came forward a close of the service for which they wished for volunteers, and that any wished for volunteers, and that any wished for volunteers, and that she had one as a stream to trousled, and he took the best course motiones, then, as if desiring rather to attract attention than to shun it, it to attent to the motion than to shun it, it to attent to the motion than to shun it, it and the was on the point of speaking, when there appeared at the window of the road and swared them in the moonlight. In a matter which, between themselves, required no explanation. As for the nature of the service for which they was transplanted to the wind the nature of the service for which they was transplanted to the was very pale, and a

laugh, turned to the window and went for the slight fluttering noise made by
the falling cards not a sound was to
be heard. Strange that there is some
burst into such a passion of tears as

man's life.

Such was their absorption that they did not see two faces which came suddenly peeping in upon them through the window of the room.

The two girls on the verands had

threatened the well and the duty with high them; and they heard his appeal for volunteers and then the cheer which followed. So far they had remained motionless, a eagerly drinking in the details of the proposed adventure; but when Vane took out the pack of cards in order to seeing was impossible—and in a minute the two faces came peeping in at the window in the manner just described.

She threatened the well and the duty high kindled in her eyes. She started to her feet, pale, eager eyed and trembling now with new excitement. She alarmed her. She does not know the cause of it. Will you come in and tell her?"

Vane followed her into the room. In a large chair, next the window, looking very white and weak, with a bandage round her temples, where the shot had grazed and stunned her, sat bandage round her into the room. She went straight to her own cham at the window in the manner just described.

ber. In a few minutes ane came out again. She was now draped in a long, close, gray dressing gown, which completely covered her own dress. Her tall, slight figure, thus garmented, looked like nothing so much as a gray ghost—and like a ghost in the failing light of evening she glided out of her the other and research along the pass.

went around—card by card, as it appeared, the focus of nine pairs of eager eyes. The second deal went round—no knave of spades as yet appeared. The fourth began; would that complete the circuit of the seven? chamber, and passed along the pas-sages and down a flight of stairs. All at once she stopped. Some noise alarmed her. And now she was afraid-afraid, not of what she was about to do, but of being seen and thwarted in the execution of her plan. Presently all being still, she again stole forward. The men were, for the most part, busy at their posts about the fortifications, and the part of the station through which she had to pass was almost deserted. Fortune favor-ed her, beside, no eyes observed her, and she stole upon her way.

At last, to her infinite relief, she reached her destination. She stood

when, to his surprise, he saw a figure standing at the window of the room. He looked again—and saw that it

He looked again—and saw that it was Lenora. What could have brought her there he knew not—the truth he did not guess. Wondering, he took a step or two in her direction, and was about to ask her what she wished, when she came hurriedly forward and steed headed him. ward and stood beside him.

"St. George," she said, "you must not go—you shall not go. Tell me you will not; promise me." As she spoke he thought, for the first time, of the veranda; she knew what he was going to do. He would much rather that she had not known; but he answered simply: "It is my duty Tenora" duty, Lenora."
"Duty!" she repeated, with impatience. "Oh, yes—but do not go. Send some one else; surely there are plenty of men. Do not go, St. George." She laid her hand upon the

time to load again," and he looked inquiringly at the Colonel's face, eager to learn what he thought of the proposal.

"The cannon is not the only danger," said the Colonel. "They have rifles there as well."

"True," said Vane, "but a rifle at that range would most likely miss—a shower of grape is different."

The Colonel hesitated. No commander likes to send brave men on desperate ventures. But he could see no other scheme which would not involve much greater risk of life, with still less prospect of success. And they must reach the well in some way—the necessity was vital. If once their supply of water were cut off their chance was gone. They could be alone in bidding you God do so, too;" and, as she spoke, she next day shone; when the dial finger marked the hour a little after noon, the garrison of Sunda Gunge was shaken suddenly by strange excitement. First, there became audible a noise of wild confusion in the encampment of the Sepoys round the walls.

Opening a shallow drawer in the death or glory.

At the first sound of her voice, Vane started. Their eyes met, and one might have thought that some reflection of the light in hers had fashed into his own. Without a word he took her hand and pressed it to his lips. Then with the same edway, reached the door of the stampede of innumerable feet.

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Suddenly, unexpectedly, relief had come. The rebels were flying in all directions; their camp was in the hands of the English soldiers. The siege of Sunda Gunge was over.

It is not our purpose to dwell upon the scene that followed. From that

tumult of wild joy, of almost fierce excitement, we turn away, and follow

As soon as the fact of the relief was certain, he stepped out of the crowd, and made his way, alone and unper-ceived, along the deserted passages, to a certain room, which lay in the rear of the walled buildings. It was the very room from which the night before a slender, gray-draped figure had stolen softly out.

through the window of the room.

The two girls on the veranda had been startled by hearing all at once by them. From their position they could not avoid over-hearing every word that passed. They, heard the short speech in which Vance announced to the men the danger which threatened the well and the duty which was expected of them; and they heard his appeal for volunteers and they heard his appeal for volunteers and they heard his appeal for it a aimost certain death.

Her hero? Yes—he was her hero.
She made no secret of it now, in her own heart. She loved him well. Gladly would she have given her own his at least of the cheering, was seen resulted to the ment of the short speech in which Vance announced to the men the danger which threatened the well and the duty which was expected of them; and they heard his appeal for volunteers are not a statuc, gray-draped ngure had stolen softly out.

Just as he reached the door, and was hesitating at the threshold, Mrs. Jessop, who had been called out by the noise of the cheering, was seen returning in a state of much excitement. Vane accosted her eagerly, but in low tones. "Is she better? Can I see her yet?" he said.

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He had not seen her since, the night before, he had carried her swooning to her room. He had heard, with infinite relief, that the wound was not serious; and inquiring hourly at her door throughout the wound was not serious, and hourly at her door throughout the night he had learned that the swoon off and that with some be feared. Yet now, as he stood be-fore her, even the great event which had just happened was less present to his mind than anxiety to satisfy himself, with his own eyes, that she was safe. The shock which he had felt at the moment when he had raised her in his arms, and caught sight of her

white face in the moonlight, we him still. He had felt at that a certainty that she was killed.

And, indeed, she had had a wononce posted at this point and brought the bear exactly on the well within the town. The result of this proceeding is self-evident. If one of the garrison would now venture into the square for the purpose of fetching water, he would run an imminent risk of being blown to atoms by a volley of grape shot.

The group of spectators looked in silce at the well. The same thought occupied the minds of all. There were women in the garrison—delicate English ladies, girls and children—and within the room set apart for the purpose of a hospital wounded men are the would run and the town the part of the purpose of a hospital wounded men are the well.

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Like all men of her acquaintance, way in half an hour from this time; it will then be dask, and we will give ourselves what chance we can. I shall go out alone; the rest of you will wait under cover of the archway well—its land so narrowly escaped, a man, though it will be sharp work.

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there will be time for that, I think, there was a buttress, and beyond It a have been struck down. Mary Sulrecess or deep niche in the masonry. The niche was close beside the buttress, on the side toward the square.

The men saluted and filed out. Vane was left alone. He turned, and was about to seat himself at the table, when, to his surprise, he saw a figure standing at the window of the room. The proper was Leones what it was Leones what could have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I hand had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I hand had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I hand had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I hand had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I hand had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I hand had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I had had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I had had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I had had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor deep niche in the masonry. I had had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor had had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor had had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down. Mary Sulrecessor had had, in fact, been slightly wounded where Vane would have been struck down down of the sulr who had risked her life for his; he had body. Vane was not among them; but immediately afterward he appeared; together with another officer—the Surgeon.

By this time the sun had sunk, and but for the rising moon it would have been quite dark. As it was, the interior of the archway was in gloom; but the open square outside was bathed in light, a light uncertain, shadowy, spectral, yet permitting any object moving in it to be distinctly seen. The woodwork which had supported the windlass of the well had been shattered by the shot, and now stood in ruins; but the chain remained in-

called him to himself.

"I am forgetting," he said. "I am glad to be the first to bring you the stump, and the Sucket hung in safety inside the opening of the well.

No time was lost. Vane spoke a word or two, by way of last directions to the men: then taking a broket is.

Called him to himself.

"I am forgetting," he said. "I am glad to be the first to bring you the good news. I see you guess it.

Yes, relief has come. The siege is over."

She looked at him with eagerness.

ADVERTISING RATES.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, \$1 00 A YEAR. Thursday Afternoon, June 4th, 1891

A TEST case will be argued before the Superior Court on Saturday, which will settle the difficulties in regard to the collection of the taxes of 1890. In his written opinions submitted to the Levy Court, Mr. Bradford declares that the collectors appointed for that year have now no legal right to collect and receipt for taxes which should have been collected during that year. Whether or not Mr. Bradford is correct in his opinion will be decided by waited upon Mr. Hinckley, president the Court. If the law proves to be defective a special session of the Legis-for a reduction in freight charges; lature to provide for the collection of they were asked whether or not the the monies due the county will be necessary. That these taxes will have to be paid there is no doubt and that the collectors of 1890 have the right to collect them we believe, yet the very best plan to settle the difficulty has been adopted. THE most important primary election

which has taken place in Cecil county, Maryland, for many years will be held Saturday next. A strong effort is that when the shipments ceased on being made to send to the House of account of freight charges there might Delegates a representative who is opposed to the re-election of Arthur P.

account of freight charge possibly be a reduction.

The policy of charging Gorman as United States Senator. Doubtless Senator Gorman has polititurn him to the Senate would be ingratitude of the worst description. No one can forget the high order of leadership which he displayed during the memorable fight Senator Gorman was foremost in opposing a measure which meant political slavery for the people of his own, as well as all other border

as the one proposed at that time Maryland would have suffered, and to Arthur P. Gorman much of the credit for its defeat belongs.

A COMMITTEE of our Board of Trade will be glad to hear from any one interested in peaches. This committee has been appointed to provide ways in one month their charter would be a and means for holding a convention of thing of the past and they would be those interested in any way in peaches, and the members are striving to make belong to like corporations in more such convention a success. An effort exacting communities. That any in is being made to bring to Middletown justice should be done by the decision some manufacturing establishment, of the Commission is not the desire of which will give employment to the any one, but the people do demand people of the town; while this is the just and equitable settlement of this proper thing to do there is a chance, case and their request should in no at this time to take advantage of our wise be ignored. The policy of the geographical situation to secure some railroad company has been such that canning or evaporating establishment the wealth of the Peninsula could not or something which would be naturally be developed; our people have been suitable to this place. We do not discriminated against, they have been need any industry which would have forced to compete with people who to be kept up by artificial means, we would not, under a proper manageneed something which naturally be- ment of freight charges, be competitlongs here, some method of using at a ors, and the time has come when a just profit our fruit and vegetables.

This Peninsula would be a veritable had. garden of Eden if the production of fruit and vegetables could be made a success, but so long as we have no place at home where these products body of William Gable, who died sudcan be utilized we will be at the mercy of transportation companies and commission merchants. By coming togeth- afternoon last, has disclosed a cas er here on the 18th of June, peach that is as remarkable as it is unusual. growers may obtain some very valu- It appears that shortly before his death able information and will come to while witnessing the game he had know each other, thus causing a com- eaten a large quantity of peanuts. As munity of interest which is very es- he was passing along the sidewalk on sential to a common understanding, his return he tripped over some obamong a class of farmers who are struction and fell on his face. very much in need of a certain kind of The concussion of the fall was at first

THE CASE of the farmers of Delaware against the P.-W. & B. railroad company which was recently decided by the Inter-State Commerce Commission has been re-opened at the request of the railroad attorneys, and the case will again be heard with a strong probability of a considerable reduction of the percentage which the Commission ordered taken off of freight now in session here.— Reading special charges on fruit, vegetables, etc. in the recent decision. The railroad attorneys declare that their clients did not receive justice, because it is always necessary to prepare, at great expense, a great number of cars for carrying fruit at a season when the number of baskets of peaches to be carried cannot be definitely ascertained and that after all this expense has been but put them at an average of 2,000 incurred it is possible that, by a failure of the crop, the extra fixtures may be ion of 38,000. As most of these mills utterly useless.

They also declare than an enormous speed necessary for peach trains and that all other trains are kept out of the way in order that peach trains are kept to the baskets that may be shipped here trains may reach Jersey City in good from other points. There is not theretime for the early markets; that the fore likely to be a monopoly of the regular traffic on the road is thus seri- business, and growers forced to pay 10 ously interfered with and that the service is so good that any compulsory re- | few years ago when there were very few duction in freight charges will work a mills.-Milford News. serious injustice to the railroad company. All this seems very plausible, but why does the railroad company charge more for carrying a barrel of truck or a basket of fruit from points above and below Delmar to New York than they do to carry the same class of perishable articles from Norfolk to

New York? The answer to this question is a very simple one and is this: The steamship lines running steamers from Norfolk to eastern cities connecte with the railto eastern cities compete with the rail-

petition and the charges are placed at a figure which will suit the company. If fruit can be carried from Norfolk to per car-load, it can certainly be carried from Delmar to Jersey City for the same or a less sum. The gentlethis question believed the recent decision was the beginning of an era of justice and right in railroad matters, to yearly advertisers.

Local Notices ten cents a line for the first

and although they believed the relief good reason to believe that further agitation of the question at this time rould lead to bad results.

> The gentlemen who worked so faithfully to secure to the people of the Peninsula proper freight rates deserve the thanks of every farmer and fruitgrower on the Peninsula and they hould be encouraged by every means within the power of the people; they have asked for nothing but justice and in any case where their demands have been unjust they have willingly given them up. When the Delaware peach crop was very large, back in the sevenmaintenance of charges then operative would cause them to discontinue the shipment of peaches over his road; the members of the committee answered that the maintenance of such charges would not cause them to discontinu the shipment of peaches: Mr. Hinckley then told the committee that so long as the people loaded their fruit in cars to be shipped over his road so long would the same charges be made, but

The policy of charging all that the traffic will bear has been continued ever since and that the determination cal enemies as every other public man to so continue is still alive is evidenchas, but to refuse, at this time to re- ed by the fact that an attorney of the company has said, within the last month, that it is possible that the P. Wr & B. railroad company may refuse to handle any of this class of freights last session of Congress when the Force bill was under consideration. In that sion insists upon a reduction in sion insists upon a reduction in charges. A refusal to carry peaches

and berries would work incalculable pany is certain that the company's grip upon the industries of Delaware is sufficiently strong to destroy those industries if such a mode of procedure should ever become necessary to the enforcement of unrighteous demands.

Let this monopoly undertake to re fuse to handle such freight and withsettlement of these questions should be

A post-mortem examination on the denly while returning from a game of baseball in West Reading on Saturday

believed to have caused his death. which occurred within three minutes, but the examination proved that the contents of his stomach were forced up into his throat, and before he could expel them the indigestible peanuts entered his windpipe causing strangulation. A great deal of attention has been excited this evening in the case among the physicians of this city and

Plenty of Peach Baskets. A manufacturer tells the Smyrn "Times" that there are on the Pening peach baskets. Some of these

factories have a capacity of from five to eight thousand baskets per day, per day, and we have a daily productcommenced early in May and will run until September, if there is demand, it ise is incurred by the high rate of will be seen that they can easily turn or 12 cents a basket, as was the case a

Killed by His Brother.

A fatal shooting accident occured at Locust Grove, Md., Tuesday afternoon, Lew Atwell and Winfield Atwell, aged twelve and nine years, sons of W. T. Atwell, a prominent farmer of Kent county, living near Locust Grove, were playing with a revolver under a

road at that point and the competition causes a low freight charge, but on the line up the Peninsula there is no com-

The Homely Büt Useful Girl. The "useful" girl, writes Ella Wheeler Wilcox, is not noticeable in Jersey City at, say one hundred dollars any way. Everybody makes use of her, and everybody likes her. She has no enemies and no lovers. Women like her very much, and men speak highly men who have interested themselves in of her when she is brought to their attention in some way, but they never think about her voluntarily. They appreciate her highly when she helps them out of a corner, and thank her cordially granted by the Commission might and then forget her until they need her justly have been greater they refrained from further action because they had again. She is not apt to marry, for men riage. She can sew, get a dinner if need be, amuse children, assist in getting up entertainments for other people to participate in, and she is an excellent nurse, and reads aloud well, and sings a little-enough to rock a child a sleep or to help out a chorus. She is like the green "everlasting," or old fashioned "live-forever" plant-scentless and not beautiful, yet indispensable in a garden.

Items of General Interest The national debt statement shows that the increase of the public debt during the month of May amounted to \$622,915.57. Total cash in the Treas-

ury \$697,077,366.97. York on Monday for Bar Harbor, where he will spend the Summer and regain his shattered health.

The Presbyterian General Assembly in session at Detroit, Mich., after a breezy discussion decided to approve Christian Endeavor Societies, but de sired that the Presbyteries and sessions should look after these as well as other young people's societies.

General Stewart Stanley, of South California, announces that he has discovered the law of variation of the maximum tension of aqueous vapor, a principle hitherto regarded as impossible of discovery.

It would thus appear that after a hundred years of research science his finally solved one of the most difficult problems of terrestrial physics, and that we can now legislate for the control of the atmosphere and of the steam engine.

Young Men who Cannot Vote. The Wilmington Department of Election revoked an erroneous order which allowed voters to register with out tax receipt who are past 22 years loss to the people of this Peninsula and just long enough to miss an opportunity that such a thing is even mentioned to get assessed. The Board issued the that such a thing is even mentioned by a certain person illustrates the fact that the Pennsylvania railroad com-Senator denies having any such opinion, and the 100 men thus registered cannot vote at the municipal election on Saturday.

The Dublin National Press accused Mr. Parnell of misappropriating certain funds, and said it will reiterate the charge in order to compell Mr. Parnell to take legal proceedings against the

The hog cholera has made its ap earance in Harford county, Md One farmer has lost over \$100 worth of hogs within the past week.

A dozen tramps in New Castle iail refused to break stone on Decoration Day and they were locked in the They claim to have a

Maryland Matters.

The first anniversary of the new Methodist Episcopal church of Chesapeake City was celebrated Sunday in the presence of a large audience. The Rev. Dr. John Lanahan of Baltimore delivered two sermons, one in the morning and one in the evening. The church was tastefully decorated with potted plants and flowers, and some fine music and singing was rendered.

The Youngest Grandmother. The little hamlet of Almira, lying six miles south of Davenport, Iowa, boasts of a grandmother aged thirty, undoubtedly the youngest in the country. This lady is Mrs. Lucinda Dickinson, the mother of Mrs. Fred Maberinson, the mother of Mrs. Fred Maberly, who in turn is the mother of a fine boy three months old. Mrs. Dickinson was married to her first husband, James Lilly, in 1873, at the age of thirteen, and the following year her daughter was born. Mrs. Maberly was married in her fifteenth year, and in January bestowed on her youthful mother the proud dignity of grandmother. Mrs. Dickinson, who has been a widow for the second time nearly three years, is about to be married again.

Heiress and Coachman Wed.

Miss Mary Agnes Fitzgerald of Troy,
N. Y., who inherited a fortune from
her father, has surprised her sisters
and friends by secretly marrying
Edmund O'Brien, a coachman at the
country home of the family. Agnes
was an orphan with a handsome property. She had many admirers. Her
favorite died some time ago of consumption. After this Miss Fitzgerald repelled the attentions of young
gentlemen, and friends thought that it
was on account of the death of her
former admirer. Young O'Brien came
from Schuylersville, filled the bill and
was accepted.

Miscellaneous Adv's.

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An error corrected. Last January we sold at a large sacrifice a surplus stock of standard French Books, which made a basis for the widely circulated rumor that we had ceased to keep French Literature. This is a mistake our stock of French Books is large and is constantly in creased by the receipt from Paris of new publications.

Just now Books for commencement prizes and presents are much in demand. To meet this want a large stock of proper titles awaits you The Books are in Cloth and more sumptuous bindings, even to the finest Levant. Prominent among them is "Bryce's American Commonwealth," which is now upon the tables ready for all comers. The last of the hundreds Secretary of State Blaine, left New of sets sold on order were delivered yesterday. Beside the cloth there is a finer edition in leather—half Roxburgh—at \$2.25 for the set.

Worthy companion for "The American Commonwealth" is John Fiske's great work "The American Revolution" which bids fair to rival the former in national interest, 2 volumes, Just published. \$3.

Of course there are Ginghams, Sateens, Brandenburgs and Lawns in the outfit. A Dress of the crispy, crinkly Scotch Printed Crape will add still more of delightful variety. Colored figures on white, gray, light blue, pink and cream grounds. 28 inches, 25c, Have been 35c.

Some Shepherd Plaids from a best French maker have struck a sliding scale. All-wool, 40 inches wide, and in several sizes of checks, 75c, quality for 65c. 85c. kind at

wanted of all the Summer yd. blacks for dresses. You know how light, how beautiful and how dust proof it is, and how 65c per yd. it wears. Here it is, the very a yard. Never sold before under \$1.50.

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Open mesh, good quality, at 75c, better at \$1, extra at \$1.25, suberb quality at \$1.50.
Twisted (sewing silk), at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50.

Silk-and-wool Barege Hernani-23-inch, at 50c. 75c. \$1, \$1.25 44-inch, at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50. All-silk Crepe de Chine-

23-inch, at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50. 44-inch, at \$4, \$5 \$6. 75c. 85c.
Small check and striped Grenadine,
48-inches, \$1.25.

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usually heavy and the fruit has probably never been more plentiful nor of a better quality than now.

- We can make your old fly net look like new, and save you money. - S. M. Reynolds & Co. have sold

a larger quantity of binder twine this year than last year and orders are still coming in. - The Young Ladies' Guild of St.

Anne's Church will 'hold a "strawberry fete" in the church yard on Friday evening, June 12th. - J. B. Maxwell's switchback rail-

way at Woodland Beach is complet ed, and ready for use. It is similar to the one at Augustine Pier. except that the pavillion is larger. - Bishop Coleman will preach next

Sunday morning at 10.30 in old St. Anne's Church; and in the evening The public are cordially invited to - The first game of base ball was

played on the 30th ult., by the Earle ville boys and the Chesapeake City Boys. The Earleville boys played nine innings and made 9 runs. The Chesapeake boys eight innings and - List of unclaimed letters remain

ing at the post-office, which can be had by saying they are advertised: Joseph Camel, Miss Amanda Faulkner, Mrs. Louise Jones, Miss Maria Jones, W. P. Wilcox.

— If we cannot have a constitutional convention, (and judging from past events it seems that we cannot), let us have a peach convention. The objects of the two are far different. but that is no excuse for not helping

— At the regular annual communi-cation of Union Lodge, No. 5, A. F. & A. M. held Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected: Henry Clayton, W. M.; L. Darlington, S. W.; J. H. Emerson, J. W. J. L. Gibson and W. H. Johnson were re-elected Treasurer and Secretary.

- The scholars of the Armstro Chapel Sunday-school were given a free magic lantern exhibition by Rev. F. H. Moore on Monday evening, in accordance with a promise he had previously made them. It is needvery much enjoyed by all present.

Hyatt's and 24th, storms; 25th and 26th, cool; 27th and 28th, storms; 29th and 80th fair Rain will fall to some extent during thirteen days in June, and very hot weather will prevail during the month.

- Mr. Andrew Hushabeck is now gathering his Sharpless strawberries and they are exceedingly fine. This is a large berry and of delicate flavor.

- Rev. Mr. Louderbough, formerly pastor of Drawyer's Presbyterian Church, Odessa, and now of Salem, N. J., will preach in the Presbyterian Church at Port Penn next Sunday, June 7th. Mr. Louderbough is wellknown here as an eloquent and earnest preacher and many of his Delaware friends will avail them-selves of the opportunity to hear him in his accustomed place especially selves of the opportunity to hear him

cultural implements, have just finished the erection of a handsome windmill for Mr. H. A. Nowland. This windmill is one of the best in the market and among all those erected by this firm not one has failed to give satisfaction; they are substantially erected and all plumbing necessary is done by expert workmen. It is as easy to have water in your house or any of your buildings in the country as it is in the city, and no one who has once secured this very great convenience would be willing to go back to the primitive method of securing facturers of fruit packages. Reports

water by hand-power.

— Mr. H. A. Nowland has a beautiful field of Fulcaster wheat which is now in full head and promises a very heavy yield. On the entire forty-one of the great peach belt of this Peninsula. Excursion rates will be issued there is not visible one square yard on which small or diseased wheat is growing; it is level and very thick on the ground, and at this time presents a beautiful appearance. The Fulcaster wheat seems to do well in this section and many heavy crops of it have been raised since its introduction here. To estimate Mr. Nowland's crop on this field at thirty-five ity for effecting arrangements for the services in the M. E. Church and inbushels per acre would not be too satisfactory disposition of the large terment in M. E. cemetery. high, judging from the present out- peach crop is now presented and we

very fine two year old standard-bred

- Read the new advertisement of S. M. Reynolds & Co., for childrens. wear, and go look at the goods they are offering.

— The only horse liniment in the market. English Embrocation, im-

ported, for sprains, cuts, &c. W. R. REYNOLDS. - Fifty thousand peach baskets are advertised for sale in this issue by Geo. M. D. Hart of Townsend. They can be bought in either small or large quanities.

 Docoration Day was observed in Middletown in a rather quiet manner. The business houses and a few private residences displayed flags and these were about the only decorations. Major John Jones Post, No. 22, G. A. R. met at headquarters in the morning and proceeding to the different The Post was accompanied on their march to the cemeteries by a wagon filled with little girls, each carrying flowers. Several risitors were in town during the day.

road Company held yesterday at Centreville, Md., the following officers were elected: President, Benjamin T. Biggs; Directors, Benjamin T. Biggs, Geo. B. Roberts, T. Morris Perot. M. Riebenack, Frank D. Howell, Jos. N. DuBany, Richard D. Barclay; Secretary, Robert H. Groff; Treasurer, Robert W. Smith. The road is doing a good business and will probably carry a great many peaches as we are credibly informed by an experienced grower that the prospect for a heavy crop in that

section is very good. - When the 9 A. M. express came in Tuesday morning Mr. T. E. Lindley's mare and colt which were pasturing in a lot adjacent to the railroad, became frightened and started to run round the lot; when they reached the opposite side the colt was unable to turn and ran into the fence: one of the its fore legs was broken just above the knee. Dr. McDowell set the fractured bone and put on a plaster cast. The colt is doing as well as can be expected, and it is hoped that no serious results will follow. The colt was a valuable one for which Mr. Lindley would not

have taken \$150. - Five of our local wheelmen, Messrs. Jno. S. Crouch, L. Darling-ton, W. B. Tharp, S. E. Massey and W. F. Metten were entertained for a time last evening by Mr. George Lockwood, of near Warwick. The party rode over to Mr. Lockwood's place, a distance of about five miles and a half early in the evening, and on arriving there were given a fair sample of that gentleman's hospitality. Strawberries and ice cream dis-appeared before the hungry wheelmen like "dew before the sun," and the party left for home

very much refreshed and with grate ful feelings toward Mr. Lockwood for his kindness. - From present appearances Middletown will have a grand Fourth of July celebration. The Junior Order of American Mechanics have the matter in charge and are busy making the necessary arrangements. On the morning of the Fourth there will be a big parade headed by the Citizen's Cornet Band and participated in by every organization in the town and probably one or two from elsewhere. A flag pole will shortly be erected on the Academy building and after the parade the big flag which will float from the pole will be formally presented to the public school. The pole will be 40 feet long and this will make the flag probably 90 feet from the ground. The regular yet been arranged, but will be made known as soon as possible. The prognostications for June: 2d to 14th, Junior Order are working hard to make the affair a succ be helped in their undertaking by

every citizen of our town. - On Sunday last Rev. J. Beers completed six years of ministerial cupied for the first time the pulpit recently erected and preached from Nehemiah, 8th Chap. and 4th verse "and Ezra the Scribe stood upon a pulpit of wood which they had made for the purpose." In his remarks he good in this section and the warmth of the last few days has caused them to ripen very fast. every creature." He emphasized the idea that expository preaching was most important and necessary, like Ezra who not only read the word of God, but gave the people to "under stand the meaning." On account of sickness Rev. Mr. Beers had been unable to preach for several Sabbaths on the last Sunday of his sixth year next Sunday.

— Davis Bros., the dealers in agriof devoted and unselfish work in

short vacation. -The convention of fruit growers to be held in the Opera House June 18th has a most encouraging outlook The efforts of the members of the Board of Trade and especially of the committees must attract a large num ber of persons from all sections. Correspondence has been opened with the important produce exchanges, railroad officials, those engaged in canning and evaporating, and manuor markets, as well as from all sections by the several railroads and it is expected that the tariff of rates of ber of the Methodist Episcopal do not provide for a regular death daily from the weather bureau at Washtransportation and schedules of peach | Church for probably half a century, trains will be announced. further efforts of the Board of Trade in this direction will depend entirely liberal in his contributions. are to be benefitted. The opportun-This wheat was sown early in hope that everyone will avail them-

- Mr. George 'Derrickson lost a House at 2 o'clock to perfect arrangecolt from lockjaw, last week. - An extra mail pouch is now

brought down to Middletown from Wilmington every night on the Nor-folk train due here at 12.45. An extra pouch has been coming from Philadelphia on this train for several days and the change is found to be a grea convenience. Letters mailed in Phil delphia before 10 o'clock P. M. and in Wilmington before 11 P. M. will be sent to Middletown on the midnight train and delivered at the post-offic by seven o'clock the next thus giving persons ample time to answer their correspondence before the first mail north at 9 o'clock. The

new arrangement was secured through Postmaster Cox, who, recognizing the fact that our ma facilities were not the best, corresponded with headquarters and suc

of the firm of Stuart & Shreitz, or May 27th finished the hanging of the one hundredth room with paper since his arrival here on March 25th last — At a meeting of the stockholders of the Queen Anne's and Kent Railon Monday last. Many who engaged him to hang one room returned him to hang another. While the tendency of the eastern people is to go west to succeed, Mr. Stuart reverses the rule and has had as much as he could do here. He hopes to move his family to Middletown in

Sunday in Middletown. - Charles Jones of Philadelphia was home for a few days the past

- Miss Helen Naudain, visited in Philadelphia Tuesday and Wednes-- Andrew E. Crow. Esq. of Wil

nington, spent Sunday with friends near town.

— Frank Bratton of Wilmington pent Sunday with friends in and

near town.

— Miss Lottie Jones of Philadelphia, came home Friday evening and remained over Sunday.

— Miss Alice Wood, returned ho

yesterday from a three week's visit among friends in New York. - C. M. Oliver of John Rvan Co. type founders, Baltimore, Md., was

n town Monday and Tuesday.

— Miss Emma Wilson of George own, Md., is the guest of Mrs. Ann Griffith of this place, for a few days.

— Mrs. Alex. L. Moreau and daugher. of Freehold, New Jersey, are

the guest of the Misses Mary and Bessie Anderson of Middletown.

— H. H. Gemberling, formerly with Geo. S. Hopkins of this place, and who was captain of the Middletown base-ball club last season, visite friends here this week.

- Henry Curry of Smyrna, managing the shoe store of Edward Prettyman in Middletown the present week while the proprietor is attending court in Wilmington, he being a mber of the jury.

The Proposed Peach Convent The special meeting of the Board Trade last Friday evening, called for the purpose of discussing the pro-ject of the proposed "Peach Convention" brought out the fact that every member of the Board was in favor of it, and it was therefore settled that we have a convention Thomas Budd, Esq., offered the following resolutions which were

WHEREAS It is the object of the Roard of Trade of Middletown to foster and encourage any laudable enterprise that can in any way be of advantage to his town and vicinity and WHEREAS, The prospective fruit crop is regarded as a present oportunity of benefit to all persons, Therefore be it

Resolved, That a convention of all persons interested in the production, dealevaporating fruit be invited to assemble in convention at Middletown, Delaware.

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of this Board of Trade be and are hereby the Board be requested to act in the line of sist in making the convention a success.

mittee was held on Monday evening to further perfect the arrangements for the proposed convention, and it ant of the McDonough family and was decided to call a meeting of the has a large number of warm friends fruit growers of Middletown and in this neighborhood. vicinity for Saturday afternoon next. at 2 o'clock, in the Opera House. It is hoped that this meeting will be well attended as the final arrangements will then be made for the convention on the 18th.

The corresponding secretary of the Board has been instructed to write to the different produce exchanges and notify them of the proposed convention. The entire Board of Trade will constitute a reception com for the visitors.

Death of an Aged Citizen

since resided. He had been a memtook an active interest in the welfare of the church and was very

The funeral will take place to-mor row, Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock : The Wilmington Sunday Star

tion-of fence viewers for New Castle county, has been filled for the current year by appointments from the

uperior court. The responsibilities of the fence viewer are really very important, although numbers of citizens of the State are unaware of the existence of such officialdom. The fence viewer has to settle all boundary questions s regards fences. He is to see that they are of the proper substantiality and size. He stands between the citizen and numerous law suits. orn patch the fence viewer sees to t that Jones' cows on the neighborng land are kept from marauding by the erection of a proper fence to pro

teet the crops.

The following officials have been ppointed for the four lower hun-

reds: Red Lion—John T. Cheairs, The dore F. Clark, Dr. F. S. Dunlap, Dr. Frank Bellville, William R. Bright, rancis T. Gray, Thomas Bond, Richard T. Cann, Daniel B. Stewart,

William M. Stuckert.
St. Georges—Joseph Cleaver, Thos.
Cochran, Leontine A. McWhorter,
William R. Cochran, James T. Shalloss, Charles P. Cochran, Henry A. Nowland, Sereck F. Shallcross Ierritt N. Willts, Fredus P. Van hekle, Jr., Charles Derrickson.

Appoquinimink-J. Allsten Har an, George M. D. Hart, F. Theodore Perry, James T. Taylor, John M

Rothwell, Edward Sillers.

Blackbird — John Lockerman, homas Deakyne, Alex. Deakyne, John A. Derrickson, Abram Hayden Vincent O. Hill, Alexander-Lattomus Richard C. Brockson.

Roll of Honor, Middletown Public School.

AVERAGE 95 OR ABOVE. ROOM, No. 1-Reese Parker, Harr atman, Harry Rothwell, Ethel Parvis, Edith Clayton, Willie Eliason Harry Ellison, May Holten.

ROOM, No. 2-Mary Maxwell. Ada Cochran, Ada Mifflin, Ethel Brady, Florence Merritt, Lucy Cochran ROOM, No. 3-Mabel Derrickson

Mary Appleton, Susie Parker, Ella Jarrell, Evelyn Littleton, Florence Kelley, Louis Stam, Frank Suydam, Willis Clothier.
Room, No. 4—Lucien Green, Annie

McColgan, Mary Heintz, Nellie Jackson, Edith Wilson, Nora Cleaver, Lee Corrie, James Merritt. Addie Echenhofer, Bertha Roberts, Blanch Armstrong, Lulu Clayton, Myrtle Gary, Ella Carty, Sybella Jones. ROOM, No. 5-Addie Clayton,

Rachel Ferris, Tony Crouch, Bessie Merritt, Nina Gary, Willie Carty, Rob Hall, Harry Bolton, Eddie Blome, Ernest Johnson, Harry Brady, Elwood Reed, Charlie Talbot, Ernest Solway, Homer Painter, Grover Talbot, Eugene Heintz, Julian Cleaver, Stewart Cleaver, Queenie Dodd, Mary Holten, Bessie Craddock, Carrie West, Lillian Cleaver, Mollie

SUMMIT BRIDGE SCHOOL.-Fanny rouch, 99; Emma Davis, 98; George Alrich, 97; Bessie Fisher, 95; Rachel Bendler, 92; Pierce Alrich, 91.

S. Penington & Son Closing Out. Messrs. S. Penington & Son have rented their store, to give possession July 1st, and will at once grand closing out sale of their stock f goods at a great sacrifice in prices. Look out for large posters and hand The body has not yet been recovered. that they will have to offer during the next twenty days.

Wedding Near McDonough. Miss Elizabeth B. Janvier and Mr Warden R. Humphrey were married to-day at one o'clock at "La Grange" the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Janvier near McDonough. The bride wore white lansdowne trimmed ion of, and canning and with Duchess lace. Miss May Janvier, a sister of the bride, acted as maid-of-honor and Mr. George Jan-

groom, and numerous friends and relatives of the bride from the immediate vicinity. Rev. Rollin A. Sawappointed a general committee of arrangements, and that all standing committees of Church performed the ceremony, after which the newly-married couple the several duties assigned them and as- left for a week of travel. Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey will reside in Wilmington where Mr. Humphrey is well-known in business and social circles. The bride is a lineal descendhas a large number of warm friends

Thoroughgood Tries to Break Jail James Thoroughgood, the negro now in Dover jail and sentenced to be hanged on August 7th next for assaulting eight-year-old Louisa Huf-fington, made a bold attempt to dig his way out of the jail a few days ago and came very near being successful. When Warden Boggs told the condemned man that he was going to have his cell cleaned and whitewash ed, Thoroughgood offered to do the job himself and made excuses not to be transferred. This suspicious James Dodson a well-known and action aroused the Warden, and met by the pastor, Rev. Father Daly and respected resident of this town, died under the negro's bed were found the four Acolytes, who led the procession at his home on Crawford street Tues- two bushels of stone and mortar. A up the aisle to the sanctuary, where the day morning at 9 o'clock, after an newspaper hid a large hole in the pastor received the offerings of beautiful illness covering a period of several wall, and the removal of a loose stone flowers which were placed on the altar by weeks. He had been in failing health would have made escape easy. Thorfor some time and his death was due oughgood did the work with an 18- white, wearing veils and wreaths, and car to old age.

The deceased was born on July 15, chisel, and says he spent two days on beautiful sight. Many hymns were sung are expected from all sections that supply peaches to the principal cities years of age. He followed the occu- given him by a white man. The years of age. He followed the occupation of farming for a number of years and about twelve years ago moved to Middletown, where he has closely watched until the day of exe- on the same hotel are displayed the weath-

> The bondsmen of ex-County Tax all boats passing up and down the Dela-Collectors Israel Ridings of New Cas- ware river. It leaves a widow and several daughters. the hundred; James H. S. Gam, Red benefit to our fishermen. The establish-Lion hundred; Willard B. Biggs, St. ment of this station is due to the energy of Georges hundred; J. H. Smalley, White Clay Creek hundred, and W. C. Bigger, Pencader hundred, were proceeded against to-day to make selling them the largest number of shad good \$15,382.72 of uncollected taxes. this season were awarded on Wednesday,

DELAWARE CITY.

HAPPENINGS OF A WEEK IN A THRIV ING TOWN.— PERSONA ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Rev. Mr. Braddon is at Milford, Del

- Cantain McMunn took charge steamer, Thomas Clyde this week

- Mrs. Audibert of Philadelph isiting her parents here this week. - Mr. Justus of Locust Grove, Md., visiting Dr. F. S. Dunlap this week. - Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Asher and

Willie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs Wm. T. Vail. - Patrick Henry Lodge No. 11, I. O. O. will hold a festival during the first week

- Mr. Howard Foard launched his boat, "Bull Frog," on Tuesday. She is a handy little craft.

- A small hen belonging to Mr. T. Cook has laid an egg which weighs four and one-fourth ounces. - The dredging machine on the Colburn

arshes received the finishing touches o Wednesday and was put into operation to from 14 to 16 quarts of milk daily and makes 61 pounds of butter a week, while

attening a very large calf. - Mr. F. Bruner has removed his barbe shop one door above the old stand. The ew shop is much larger, lighter and

great improvement on the old one.

— The last haul of the season was made in the locks here on Monday morning; the catch was fifteen thousand herring. This has been the most profitable season have had for many years.

since last fall, spent a few days here last week. He will resume his position as clerk at Woodland Beach next week. - Mayor Reybold has given notice all dogs running at large within the city limits, between the first of June and October 15th must be muzzled, under penalty

of the law. - Mr. Eugene Lindsay and family Philadelphia have taken up their summer residence at his cottage on the Delaware river at this place. Mr. Lindsay holds a position in the Prothonotary's office in Philadelphia, where he goes every morn-

ing, returning here in the evening.

— A sturgeon net from this place was confiscated by the fish warden's boat on Sunday night, for breaking the Sunday fishing law. The fishermen escaped with their boat, but mourn the loss of their net, which is a heavy one at the beginning of the season.

— The Yacht Venitza with her owner

evening. She will participate in the Quaker City Yacht Club regatta about June 10th, when, if she has her usual good luck and good management, she will show her ability to retain the championship which she now holds.

- William Hibshman, a brother of Mr. M. W. Hibshman, who spent last summer and fall here, died at his home in Meyerstown, Pa. on Sunday, after a linge illness. Mr. Hibshman was a young man of good social qualities, and made friends during his stay here. He was

this place, who was engaged in sturgeon fishing, was drowned on Monday afternoon off Reedy Point, which is a mile below Delaware City. He and his father were fishing together. They had taken on their net and were making sail, when the spreet rope broke, the spreet struck and knocked him overboard. When he came to the surface his father threw him an oar which he failed to catch, and sank - Our town was full of visitors on Sur

day ; among them were Editor Stewart of the "Evening Journal," Mr. James Meg-ary, Mr. Harry Robelen, Manager Williamof the Opera House and many other Wilmingtonians, a number of whom came down on bicycles. They were entertained at the Delaware City Hotel and the Robinson House, and after taking a look at the ands of herring in the Delaware City lock and the Delaware and Chesapeake canal, the afternoon was spent in the park where they enjoyed the shade. fanned by the delightful breeze from the Delaware

- Miss Nettie Colburn gave a very pleasant reception to a number of her Philadelphia and Delaware City friends at Marshfield, on Thursday evening. Dancing was begun at nine o'clock, supper was served at half-past eleven, after which the dancing was continued until half-past two, when the guests retired. Music was furnished by Professor Webb, assisted by members of the Delaware City Social Orchestra.

- A double team belonging to Mr. Chas. W. Jefferson got loose and ran from the farm of Mr. Scott on Monday evening. The carriage was upset and the tongue broken, but the horses were caught near the canning factory on the corner of Fifth and Clinton streets by two colored men. The drawbridge over the canal was off at the time the team arrived in Delaware City, and as it was directly ahead of them, about four squares, the capture of the horse was most fortunate.

children of St. Paul's Catholic Sundayschool took place on Sunday evening, at the Vesper service. The children met at the residence of Mr. Peter Mulligan and marched to the church where they were his attendants. The girls were dressed in

cution, although the Delaware laws er signals, reports being received here ington. This is an excellent place for a signal station as the signals can be seen by will also prove a great

Captain W. E. Reybold, our mayor. - The premiums offered by Pancoa & Ziegler of this place, to the two persons Can be procured from news agent W. W. Wilson every Sunday morning. The first premium, a gold \$10,832.73 of uncollected taxes. The season were awarded on weenesday, proved portions of Cecil county. The first premium, a gold watch, to James phosphate known as Nowland's mixture.

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- Professor H. C. Clark will open a dancing class for young men in Mulligan's Hall this week. -- The steam tug C. G. Ash is towing

timber this week between Delaware City and Bordentown, N. J. — The Atlas base-ball club of this city, practice every evening on their grounds; about two weeks.

— Superintendent McCausciand of the Philadelphia and Salem Steamboat. Com-pany was in town on Wednesday, accompanied by his son; they enjoyed several hours' fishing in the canal.

- The Photophoreon Literary So have decided to give an enterta June the 9th. The program will consist of recitations, dialogues, readings and essays, interspersed with music. A large number of invitations have been sent out, and and tend their presence to the support of the society. The society, which is connected with the public school, is now in prosperous condition, numbering 27 mem

- Mr. Joseph E. Gillingham, preside of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Co. and Mr. Hutchinson, the secretary, arrived here on Wednesday morning. They were met by Mr. Fletcher Price, the superinendent, and after making an inspection the lock, wharf, etc. of the company here, they left on the superintendent's steam yacht launch for a tour of inspection of the canal to Chesapeake City. The canal car-penters are making some repairs at St. Georges, and after finishing there they will come to Delaware City and make extensive

repairs.

— The Von Culin Incubator Co. made public exhibition of their improved hatcher in front of their shop on Tuesday; the machine was one of their smallest sizes Baby McKee night lamp. It was full of eggs in the morning, and by night every one had shelled out a live, healthy chick. The machine was inspected by nearly all of the leading citizens of the place, who took much interest in its success ful work. and encouraged the inventors and manu facturers by their unanimous en

Townsend Topics

ed both nights.

— Miss Mollie 'Webb of Smyrna, been the guest of Mrs. J. T. Webb for

eral days. - Mr. D. B. Maloney spent New Castle, Del., as the guest of Prof. D.

- Mrs. Emma Vandyke and day Estella, were the guests of Mrs. Sarah Tinley last Thursday.

— Miss Maud Smith of Middleton

day and Wednesday.

— Mr. Joseph Clayton and his .as are painting the handsome residence of Mr S. L. Tinley on Commerce street. - Madame Rumor comes to us with the

startling news that Blackbird is soon to have a fashionable wedding.

— Mrs. Emma Webb of Chester, Pa. who has been visiting Mrs. J. T. Webb for several days, left Tuesday morning for a visit further down the State.

- Mrs. Emma Finley is improving the looks of her residence on Main street by Smyrna, is doing the work. — Mrs. Etta Townsend and daughters of Townsend, and Mrs. Maggie Smith and daughters of Middletown, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with their aunt, Mrs. M.

E. Collins, near Smyrna, Del. — Mr. C. D. Wells has contracted to build a cottage for Dr. Schwatka at Ocean City, and leaves on Friday for that place Mr. Wells takes his brother A. E. Wells with him and expects to be gone about

four or five weeks.

— Misses Clara and Emma Townse who have been working in Wilmingto are home for a short vacation, after which they will leave for Atlantic City, having accepted a situation in a large hotel at that desirable watering place.

- The warm weather has again brought to the front the boys of blue and gray, full of vim and confidence that they will play little chills chase each other up and down their rivals backs. Club No. 2 has organized with the following relations of the collection of ized with the following players: Pritchard, c; Clarence Hutchinson, p; H.
B. Stradley, 1st base; H. Naylor, 2nd
base; H. Daniels, 3rd base; Will Money, 1.
f; B. Schwatka, c, f; H. Gill, r, f; low is a good time to buy as they are very low in price. f. ; B. Schwatka, c. f. ; H. Gill, r. f. Dutch Pritchard, s. s. Challenges acceped from all clubs whose memb over 18 or under 9. Address H. R. Stradley, Townsend, P. O. box, 1627.

Prisoners Escape From Jail. Harrison Rothwell, colored, alia Sugar Awful" has again made his scape from New Castle jail. He was accompanied by James Dougherty, a white man, who was serving one year for horse stealing. Rothwell and Dougherty were allowed the privileges of the corridor, kitchen and yard and it was their duty to bank the fires each night. On Mon vard, presumably to get the coal, and failed to return. Investigation show-ed that they had taken their bed clothes, tore them into pieces, tied a bent poker to one end and threw it over the wall. They then pulled themselves up and jumped to the ground on the outside, a distance of

Rothwell escaped from jail once before but was recaptured. He recently remarked to a visitor at th jail that if he had not become intoxicated the other time he escaped he would never have been caught; but if ever he got outside of New Castle jail again, he would bid it good-bye forever. And it seems he has, for neither of the men have vet been heard from.

New Creamery Company.

A corporation has been formed known as "The Sandy Branch Cream ery Company of Cecil County." The John J. Dorsey, George W. Merritt, William Price, Jr., and William D. Bradford. The corporation will operate a creamery at Sandy Branch, in located in one of the most highly im-

Joshua McGonigal has planted 16,000 bushels of oyster shells in the
Delaware Bay between Leipsic and
Simon rivers to catch the spawn.
The late Legislature appropriated
\$1000 for the purpose.

The Delaware Pilot will shortly be
published at Lewes to succeed the
defunct Breakwater Light. Charles
W. Whiley will be the editor. Ebe
W. Tunnell, ex-Clerk of the Peace of
Sussex county, is the chief stockholder in the new venture.

Smyrna was very much excited last

Smyrna was very much excited last week over a mad dog which had been running through the streets and which bit several dogs. The Town Commissioners have ordered all dogs to be muzzled and those not having a muzzle on will be killed. Davis Bros. have on hand a very fine lo

of early Rose seed potatoes raised in Hol ton county, Maine. They are able to sel at prices which are satisfactory becathey bought at first hands.

"Atlas" and " wass... best; therefore, the cheapest. G. E. HUKILL.

Ladies', Men's, Boys' and Children's Ten Ladies', Misses' and Children's Oxforcies and Opera Slippers at S. M. Reynolds

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MR. NATHAN PEACOCK is still with the above named firm, and solicits a share of your patronage.

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GEO, M. D. HART,

JOHN A. MARQUADT,

Martin Homann, - MAKER OF-FINE BOOTS and SHOES REPAIRING NEATLY DONE.

Especially light and single soles. NOTICE.

PROPOSALS will be received until Tuest day, June 23d, 1891, for printing 1200 copies of the journal of the Senate of the State of Delaware, session of 1891, with an index. The journal to be printed in octavo, in long primer type, so as to contain at least foity-dwe lines on a page, with the yeas and nays in line in compact form. The same and all items of charge, Thirty-dwe (35) yolumes to be bound in law sheep. The journal to beprinted in as condensed a form

For Sale.

CLERE OF THE SENATE.
GEORGETOWN, Del., May 25th, 1891 m28-4

BRICK DWELLING AND STORE at tached, situated on the corner of Main m12 tf Apply to D. L. DUNNING.

For Sale. A LARGE lot of green house sash suitable for hot bed or green house purposes. The sash is in good order and well made. Will be sold cheap. Apply to G. F. BRADY or CUTHBERT GREEN, Middletown, Del.

House for Sale THE STORE AND DWELLING combined

On Main Street, near the depot, now occu
pied by the undersigned. Excellent site for
good business location.
jan29-6m Mrs. THOMAS MASSEY.

For Rent.

THE HOUSE on Main Street now occupied by Mr. Perkins. Possession given imdiately. G. E. Hilkyr apr20-tf

Mistellaneous Adn's.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE!

Under and by virtue of a power contained in the last will and testament of Benjamin J. Green, deceased, and of an order passed by the Orphan's Court for Celli county, the undersigned, as executor, will sell at public sale at the hotel of Delbert Alker, in the Willage of Warwick, in the First Election District of Cecli County, Md., on

Saturday; the 20th of June. 1891, at 2 o'clock P. M.,

ALL THOSE TWO FARMS situate in the first election district of which the said Benjamin Green, died, siezed and No. 1.—GREEN WOOD, contains

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At 2 o'clock P. M., On the premises, on the road leading from Collins' Beach, the following described real state, late of Jonathan Stephenson, deceased, to-wit:

being a dividing line with Wm. Woods land thence south twenty-eight degrees thirty minutes east, one hundred and fitty perches to the main stream of Duck Creek, thence up the creek and binding the seyeral courses thereof about one hundred and fifty perches

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NOTHING TO WEAR. "Nothing to wear, my darling, nothing at all to wear".—
This is the song she sings to him and fills him with despair,
When he goes out to toil each day and carn their daily bread,
She hangs around his weary neck until these words are said.
And when he comes home late at night she sits upon the stair.
And warbles out, "You know, dear Charles." I haven't a thing to wear.
The polonaise I had last year, I tell you is a sight: Nothing to wear, my darling, nothing at

My old black grenadine is worse; it makes
me look a fright;
My black strk is so shiny, and I feel so mortified;
And then, for summer, I must have some
thing in white beside."
And so he sings her little song throughout
the livelong day—
Nothing to wear, my darling, nothing to
wear, I say."
And charles is at the office, and his tace is
blanched with fear,
Because it's Sunday. We can't
sell anything to drink on Sunday."
"Well, but I'm wet through," said
Edison, "and cold. I want a drink."
"Well, I'll tell you what we can
do," replied the clerk; "we can give
you a kodak."
"What's a kodak?" asked Edison.
"You just go up to your room and

#### THE SIEGE OF SUNDA GUNGE.

[Concluded from first page.] She answered with a smile. They understood each other. He was bending over her; she was looking up at him. Mrs. Jessop was not near them, and it was almost as if they were alone. From the distance came a noise of voices cheering, as if they never meant to stor; but in the room itself there was no sound but their itself there was no sound but their own murmured talk. own murmured talk.

"As soon as you are well again," he said, "I shall be very angry with you, Mary. I had a chance of getting the Victoria Cross, but now they

will let you have it, I suppose."

She laughed softly, for his words were music to her. But it was not his words alone that thrilled her blood. She had won a richer prize than the Victoria Cross, and now knew it. For in his eyes, as she look ed up at them, she saw the flame of love.—Temple Bar.

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turf should be visited upon the horses
themselves, and being desirous of owning the best roadster that money could
buy, he did not hesitate to go where
the highest speed was obtainable, even
in the face of public opinion. Having a business character above reproach,
Mr. Bonner's championship of the fast
trotter as a roadster gradually broke
down the barriers of prejudice, and
many other wealthy New-Yorkers
followed his example followed his example.

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"Well, sir," calmly replied the super intendent, "i do not know that we are to blame for that. What do you expect us to do—get her a new dress?"
"No, sir, I do not," grimly replied the other, brandishing in his right hand a small piece of cloth; "what I propose to have you do is to help me match this cloth."

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Edison got the drink.

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The Advantages of Convers The most agreeable way of getting information is by conversation. If you can talk with a well informed person, who can clearly express his ideas on any subject in which you are interested you can ask questions. interested, you can ask questions, you can have explanations, you can go over the subject until you thoroughly over the subject until you thoroughly understand it, and searching out in this way, in the mind of another, a thing which you earnestly desire to know, you are more likely to remember it and to profit by it. This is why a competent teacher is better than any text book. Besides, talk inspires both the speaker and the listener—the one becomes more eager to know and the other more eager to

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aware, my dear madam, that there exists an almost universal but er-roneous belief that all parrots manifest aware, my dear madam, that there exists an almost universal but erroneous belief that all parrots manifest a predilection for crackers. This hypothesis would be amusing were it to address the state of not for the intimation it affords of not for the intimation it affords of the pathetic paucity of dietetic know-ledge upon the part of the masses. May I awsk if you are aware that there is more nutriment and inspirathere is more nutriment and inspira-tion in a single plate of beans than in threescore and ten crackers? A thorough appreciation of Browning will never follow a regimen of crack-ers. But what is the matter, may I awsk? You manifest considerable perturbation.-Life.

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"Well, sir," calmly real." choice things to eat and drink, the

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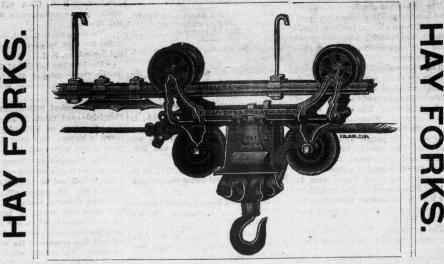
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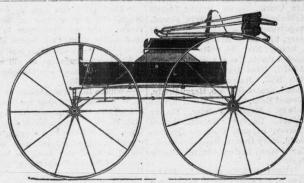
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